

UNION CARBIDE CORPORATION

Sistersville, WV

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MEMORANDUM TO: D. G. Moshier

COPY TO: A. W. Boyd

SUBJECT: Potable Water Purity

November, 1979 samples of water taken from the Sistersville potable water system, the process water system, and the commercial bottle drinking water were analyzed for PCB's and found to be less than 0.5 ppb (parts per billion), the limit of detection.

This completes four months of testing (15 samples) these waters for PCB's without any positive results. It seems reasonable to conclude that neither the process nor the potable water supplies have been contaminated with PCB's and, at least from that standpoint, are safe for human consumption. The recreational area well water also gets a clean bill of health.

In the course of analyzing waters from the buried waste areas, I will occasionally submit potable water samples for analyses but at considerably less frequent intervals than in the past--probably quarterly.

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Good, let's be sure the file reflects your conclusion etc. I'm sure it does.

Thank,  
Wally

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